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Sir:

This paper is filed in response to the final Office Action mailed on October 4, 2006, a reply to which is initially due on January 4, 2007. This paper is being filed as a Submission Under 37 CFR 1.114 and accompanies a Request for Continued Examination (RCE). Please amend the above-identified application as described below and consider the following remarks. **All remarks and amendments herein are made without prejudice.**

A Request for Continued Examination (RCE) and a fee form are included with this response.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.